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Hon. Robert Lehrburger  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007

RE: Webber, et al. v. Dash, et al  
**DOCKET NO. 1:19-cv-610-CM**

Dear Hon. Judge Lehrburger:

Plaintiff's counsel writes on behalf of all parties. The parties jointly called chambers last week seeking guidance. Pursuant to Docket Entry 131, the defendants were to appear for a deposition at the Courthouse. Due to covid-19, the deposition has not occurred.

The Courthouse is presently having in person activity and the Clerk's Office has informed Plaintiff's counsel that the public is allowed in the Courthouse from 9am-1pm. See Exhibit A. Counsel was informed to speak with Chambers in regard to conducting the deposition of Mr. Dash at the Courthouse as ordered. Plaintiffs' have no interest in a remote deposition.

Plaintiff's seek permission to hold the deposition at the Courthouse, in the next 30 days, provided the Courthouse is open to the public for this purpose.

The SDNY Courthouses are not presently accommodating depositions due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Accordingly, the parties shall make alternative arrangements for the deposition.

SO ORDERED:

9/2/2020

  
HON. ROBERT W. LEHRBURGER  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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By:

  
Christopher L. Brown

# EXHIBIT A

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK  
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT COURT EXECUTIVE THE DANIEL PATRICK  
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July 2, 2020 SDNY Announces Reopening of Courthouses to the Public

On July 6, 2020, the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (SDNY) will reopen courthouses to the public, going to Phase II of the Phased Re-Entry Plan. Though the doors of the courthouses were closed, SDNY has remained open during the pandemic, conducting proceedings remotely and accepting filings. All SDNY courthouses will reopen to members of the public who have official business before the court. While proceedings can happen at the courthouses, most will take place remotely. Please consult ECF or Pacer for the latest information on proceedings. Public counters in the Office of the Clerk of Court will be open from 9:30 AM to 1 PM. All individuals seeking to enter an SDNY facility are subject to Standing Order M10-468, which requires that they be screened for COVID-19 exposure before entry will be permitted. Screening includes questions that will assess an individual's likelihood of having COVID-19, as well as measurements of body temperature. Once inside the courthouse, individuals are required to wear masks, observe social distancing and wash or sanitize their hands often. These protocols have been adopted for the safety of all who enter the courthouse. SDNY is committed to carrying out its constitutional mandate of dispensing justice, while doing so safely and in a way that prioritizes the health of all who enter its doors. For more information regarding SDNY's COVID policies, please visit our website at <https://nysd.uscourts.gov/> or contact us at 212-805-0500.